

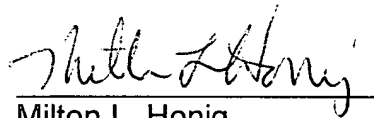
**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

The present amendment is submitted in an earnest effort to advance the case to issue without delay.

The Examiner has required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121. Election was requested with respect to either claims 1-11, 15 and 16 (drawn to a method) or claims 12-14 (drawn to a product).

Applicant without traverse elects claims 1-11, 15 and 16 for further prosecution. A first substantive Office Action would be welcome at the Examiner's earliest convenience.

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